

Awards for the Summer 2006 applications in the amount totaling \$70,794

The grant period for these grants is September 1, 2006 through February 28, 2007.

Senior Fair - \$637

- Recommended

Cape Girardeau - \$637

“Senior Moments at the Library” is a solid proposal with high goals. Will partner with other agencies to present several topics related to senior lifestyles.

Spotlight on Library Programs - \$16,819

- Recommended

St. Louis Public Library - \$4,319

Well-prepared application to host an author event for appropriate audience

- Recommended

St. Louis Public Library - \$12,500

Excellent proposal to promote library and literature to families through mini-exhibits at several branches in at-risk neighborhoods.

Training and Professional Development - \$7,144

- Recommended

Joplin Public Library – \$1,464

Ellen Miller, library advocate, has a solid well-established program which will benefit the staff. Will train library staff and trustees from SW Missouri on aspects of policy making, working with the city, state and Federal governments, Patriot Act, and other topics within this area.

- Recommended

Kansas City Metropolitan Library and Information Network - \$1,670

Black Belt Librarians: Every Librarian’s Real World Guide to a Safer Workplace will be taught by Warren Graham, nationally known library security professional. Program will provide a good foundation for library staff in the area for security for patrons, staff, and facilities.

- Recommended

Missouri River Regional Library - \$500

Half day employee workshop on customer service presented by Carolyn Trout.

- Recommended

Little Dixie Regional Libraries - \$3,510

Human resources workshop for staff with a speaker from KCMLIN.

Planning and Standards - \$26,723

- Recommended

Webster Groves Public Library - \$15,000

Hire a professional consultant to conduct a survey of the library service area.

- Recommended

Hannibal Free Public Library - \$11,723

Host professionally led focus groups to solicit community input for strategic planning process.

Bring in an Expert - \$19,471

- Recommended

Hannibal Free Public Library - \$5,000

Hire a public accountant to update a comprehensive inventory of all library property.

- Recommended

Maryville University Library - \$5,000

Hire an architect to bring fresh approach to library's current building in order to begin work on a university-wide plan for their future.

- Recommended

Mexico-Audrain County Library - \$750

Workshop to help staff with weeding decisions.

- Recommended

St. Charles City-County Library - \$3,721

Hire an interior designer to assist in developing a cohesive plan for an update and upgrade of the library space.

- Recommended

St. Louis University Libraries - \$5,000

Hire an expert to help begin development of a 5-year Strategic Plan.